
Gibson County Board of Commissioners
Regular Session
May 15, 2007

The Gibson County Board of Commissioners met May 15, 2007, at 9 AM in the North Annex Meeting Room.

Members present:

N. Sherrell Marginet, Pres. Don Whitehead, VP
Bob Townsend Attorney Jerry Stilwell

Members absent:

The meeting was brought to order with all present standing and reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes: The minutes of the previous meeting of May 1, 2007, were approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0.

Approval of Claims: The following claims were submitted for approval: Payroll, \$281,811.87; Utilities, \$15,021.58. These claims were approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0.

Old Business: Tara Schmitt asked if any decision had been made on a request by her and a couple other merchants for the removal of the west side parking lot at the Courthouse. Marginet stated that it is being looked into and there was a lot to be considered before a decision could be made. There was further discussion.

Leonard Harbison asked if there was anything the County could do about Maple Hill Cemetery referring back to his request at the last meeting. Jerry Stilwell told him that the County couldn't do anything because it is privately owned. This is a matter for the Township Trustee.

New Business: Sheriff Harmon requested a road name change, 250W be named White Church Road from State Hwy 64 to the junction at White Church. This request was granted with a motion by Marginet seconded by Townsend and passed 3-0. He also requested a NO Parking sign be posted on CR 1100 at the ballpark at Haubstadt. This request was granted with a motion by Whitehead seconded by Townsend and passed 3-0.

Highway: Jerry Heldt asked the Commissioners to sign the annual reports that the department has to send to the state. And reported that work on Bridge 266 on CR 750S just east of Ft. Branch would have that section of the road closed for about one month.

Extension: Cathy Boerste introduced the summer student intern, Megan Paul.

Kevin Jasinski, American Structurepoint, Inc., representing INDOT on the I 69 project, requested that there be a speed limit posted on Nobles Chapel Road of 30 MPH due to a change in the road due to construction of I 69. This request was granted with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0. He said that he would be back to the second June meeting with information and possible request concerning CR 525 E.

Having no further business a motion to adjourn was made by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0.

N. Sherrell Marginet, Pres.

Don Whitehead, VP

Bob Townsend

Attested: _____
Mary B. Key, Auditor